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MESSAGE SUITS SPAIN

The Cuban Attitude Entirely Satisfactory.

FEARS OF TROUBLE ARE ALLAYED

Blanco's Hand Strengthened by Assurance that Intervention is Not Contemplated.

New York, Dec. 7.—A Havana special to the Tribune says:

President McKinley's message is received quietly. Satisfaction is felt in official circles over the statement that the recognition of either belligerency or independence is justifiable under present conditions. The credit which the president gives for conducting the war on humane principles and for improving the condition of the reconcentrados will strengthen Captain-General Blanco in carrying out his new policy.

The official feeling may be summarized in the statement that the government does not now fear the embarrassment which might come from action by the United States before instructions from Madrid could be carried into effect. The hint of ultimate intervention causes some uneasiness and discussion has already arisen over what is meant by "reasonable time," but palace officials do not interpret it as likely to prevent the application of autonomy within the time needed for carrying out the details of the system as directed from Madrid.

Autonomists reformists and conservatives who support Sagasta and Blanco will make the message the basis of a movement for the early union of all parties to uphold the hands of the government in its colonial policy. Commercial interests are pleased with the pacific tone of the message, though not taking it as a conclusive settlement.

UNKNOWN BARK WRECKED.

Inaccessible Island the Scene of the Disaster.

New York, Dec. 7.—News of the wreck of a British bark on Inaccessible island, one of the Tristans, in the Acunha group in the southern Atlantic, has been brought to this port by the bark Inverrue from Java.

Captain Charleson reports that on September 15th last he sighted the ship J. B. Walker, which signaled the news of the wreck. The name of the bark and the fate of the crew were not learned on board the Inverrue.

Captain Charleson is of the opinion that the crew of the ill-starred vessel are on board the Walker, as she displayed signals that she was short of water, indicating probably that she had on board an extra number of persons.

The wrecked bark may be either the Craigen or the Taymount, which have long been over due.

The former, commanded by Captain Lewthait, left Philadelphia May 3d last, for Hogo, with a crew of thirty-two men and a cargo of refined oil in cases. Inaccessible island is in the path of her trip around Cape Horn.

The last time she was spoken was on June 8, when she was off the Brazilian coast.

The Taymount was bound for San

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The Taymount was last heard of June 6th, when she was off the coast of Brazil.

KANSAS PACIFIC SALE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The secretary of the treasury today took the first steps to qualify on behalf of the government as bidder at the sale of the Kansas Pacific.

A transfer order for \$900,000 was sent by Treasurer Roberts for certification to the National City Bank of New York, in favor of the master of the court having jurisdiction of the case. The order will be delivered to the master five days before the sale by an officer of the treasury department, who, it is believed, will bid at the sale under instructions from the president.

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Rioting in Macedonia.

SOFIA, Dec. 3.—Alarming news reached here today from Macedonia. Albanians are said to be committing great excesses at Debrina and Kitchovo, and the surrounding district, killing men, outraging women and stealing cattle. The authorities are powerless. Wholesale persecution and arrests of Bulgarians by Turks is also reported from the Bulgarian frontier. The news has caused great excitement here.

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PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Harry—"You say Maude sings like an angel. Why, I never heard her sing at all!" Penelope—"True; but did you ever hear an angel sing?"—Harlem Life.

—Mrs. Dahlgren—"Ah, Mr. Phipps, I saw you in church last Sunday." Mr. Phipps—"Yes; it rained, you know. Waa that the reason you were there, too?"—Cleveland Leader.

—Reason to Be Thankful.—"Was your office-seeking trip to Washington a success?" "Yes; in a way." "You got a place?" "No. But my present employers didn't dock me for the time it took to make the journey."—Washington Star.

—"I may have bitten off more than I can chew," remarked the boa constrictor as the young gazelle disappeared within its capacious jaws, "but, thank fortune, I don't have to chew!" And it curled itself up for a six weeks' nap.—Chicago Tribune.

—"Thou art fairer than the day!" he cried, with a poet's fervor. The warm color suffused her cheek. "Fairer than the eight-hour day?" she asked eagerly; for she had been taught to think that very fair indeed to all parties concerned.—Detroit Journal.

—"In Doubt."—"I have strong suspicions," said the very susceptible young woman, "that he is a nobleman." "Where's his title?" asked her father, in accents of suspicion. "He is traveling incognito." "Perhaps so. It's either a case of 'incognito' or 'alias,' I can't quite make out which."—Washington Star.

—"I think," said the man who had bought a season ticket to the opera, whispering to his neighbor, "that I'll try to have my seat changed. Every night that girl sits in front of me with that same huge hat on and—" "Excuse me," said the girl, turning round indignantly, "it's a different hat every night."—Truth.

—"In a Glasgow car was an aged Irishman, who held a pipe in his mouth. The conductor told him he could not smoke but he paid no heed. Presently the guard came into the car and said, with a show of irritation: "Didn't I tell you you couldn't smoke in this car?" "Well, O'm not smoking." "You've got a pipe in your mouth." "So O! have me feet in me boots," replied Pat, "but O'm not walking."—Scottish Nights.

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A Chance for Voorhees.

TRINTON, N. J., Dec. 7.—It was settled at an informal convention of republican state senators today that Senator Foster M. Voorhees is to be elected president of the senate when the legislature convenes. This will make Voorhees acting governor.

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Expedition Massacred.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 7.—The Mouvement Geographique today announces that it learns that a French expedition under Major Marchand, while on its way to the Nile, has been massacred near Dabengahaza. The survivors of the party, it is reported, retreated.

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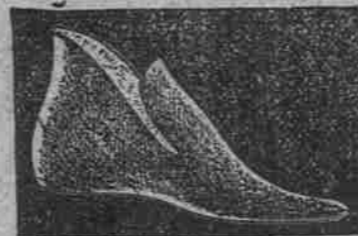
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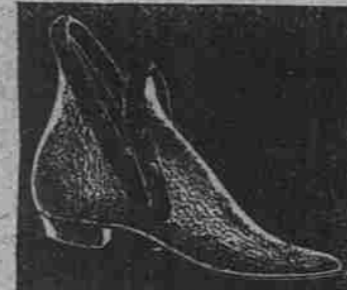
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